

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

DOUG WHITMAN, et al.,

Defendants.

No. 12 Cr. 125 (JSR)

**REPLY DECLARATION OF
ALEXANDRA A.E. SHAPIRO**

ALEXANDRA A.E. SHAPIRO, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, declares as follows:

1. I am an attorney duly admitted to practice law in the State of New York and the District of Columbia and am admitted to practice before this Court. I am a member of the law firm Shapiro Arato LLP, and am co-counsel for defendant Douglas Whitman.

2. I submit this reply declaration in support of Mr. Whitman's motion pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255 to vacate his conviction and sentence.

3. Attached as Exhibit 1 to this reply declaration is a true and correct copy of the January 23, 2015 Petition of the United States of America for Rehearing and Rehearing *En Banc* in *United States v. Newman*, 13-1837 (2d Cir.).

4. Attached as Exhibit 2 to this declaration is a true and correct copy of relevant excerpts from the transcripts of Mr. Whitman's trial.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: New York, New York
April 22, 2015

/s/ Alexandra A.E. Shapiro
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